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	AD	DES. 215,915	11/04/1969	Wayne M. Bikien			
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	AK	DES. 234,648	03/25/1975	Paul A. Braginetz			
	AL	DES. 239,060	03/02/1976	Arnold E. Rees			
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	AVVVV	4,270,268	06/02/1981	Jacobson			
	AWWWW	4,281,456	08/04/1981	Douglass, et al.			
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	AUUUUU	5,027,511	07/02/1991	Miller			
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